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WEATHER REPORT

Fair tonight; temperature about 28 degrees; Thursday fair.

Tomorrow High-tide—7:47 a. m., and 8:05 p. m.

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SHEPHARD-GOULD WEDDING TODAY

Nuptials in Drawing Room of Lyndhurst-on-The Hudson.

CEREMONIAL IS SIMPLE

Tables Loaded With Hundreds of Rare and Costly Gifts—Seventy-Five Guests at Wedding Breakfast.

New York, Jan. 22.—Helen Milleh Gould,known throughout the world as the queen of philanthropists of America's wealthy women, and Finley J. Shepard, assistant to the president of the Missouri and Pacific chief of the Gould railway lines, were married today in the spacious drawing room of the bride's stately stone mansion at Lyndhurst-on-the-Hudson.

Widely heralded as the simplest of weddings, the fact remains that the rich splendor of the setting, the bower-like beauty of the floral decorations, the swelling harmony of forty pieces the tables loaded with hundreds of rare and costly presents and the great glittering table laden with a service for the wedding breakfast for seventy-five guests could scarcely class as simplicity in the eyes of the average American bride.

The service was read by a kindly faced country minister, Rev. Daniel Russell, pastor of the Irvington Presbyterian church. The bride was attended only by two daintily dressed little girls, Helen and Margaret, daughters of the bride's brother, Frank Gould, by his first wife. And the seventyfive guests were all members of the bride's or bridegrroom's families or their intimate friends.

Only a few of the guests spent last nght at Lyndhurst, arrangements having been made for special parlor cars to be attached to a forenoon train today to bring the main body of guests to Tarrytown, where dozens of automobiles were waiting to spin them out the two miles to the bride's 102-acre country estate. The Duchess De Tallyrand, whose first husband was the amusing Count Boni de Castellane, was among those who spent the night at Lyndhurst and assisted Miss Gould early today in preparing the finishing touches for the ceremony.

An altar of smilax, pulmosa and roses had been constructed, and from this a pathway of white satin ribbons was marked out for the bridal party, leading to the foot of the main stairway, the ballustrade of which was smothered in pulmosa. The orchestra, led by Nathan Franko, was hidden behind a bank of palms and roses.

Punctually at the appointed moment the bridal party appeared at the head of the stairway and marched down the rose carpeted pathway to the familiar inspiring strains of "Lohengrin's" march. Rev. Russell led the procession.

The bride, wearing a simple gown of white satin trimmed with rare old rose point lace, a present from her sister, the Duchess, followed, leaning upon the arm of her brother, George, who gave her away. The bridegroom was attended by his brother, Louis J. Shepard. The bride's little nieces, dressed in white served as flower girls.

The Presbyterian service was read, during which the orchestra softly played Handel's Superb "Largo." The guests stood in rows at the back of the large room and at the conclusion of the brief service rushed toward and enveloped the happy couple with congratulatory embraces. The entire party imemdiately reassembled in the dining room where the wedding breakfast was served.

Early Morning Fire.

Wilmington, Dela., Jan. 22.—Fire early this morning destroyed the home of Lieut. Gibson at Fort Du Pont, entailing a loss of $12,500. Lieut. Gibson, Mrs Gibson, their 8-years-old daughter, and a colored servant escaped from the burning house to the roof in their night clothing. The post firemen rescued them by means of ladders.

The fire last night destroyed the chapel at Fort Mott, N. J., causing a loss of $1,000.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A. C. Lawhorn was hot and killed yesterday afternoon in the Texas and Pacific depot at Fort Worth, Texas, by M. W. Magee. Both men came from Palestine, Tex. Lawhorn, with his wife and children, was fleeing from Magee. The latter declared that Lawhorn had ruined his home. When arrested Magee said: "Lawhorn forced me to this. Three week sago he threat ened me. I either had to kill him or be a sheep." Both men were about thirty-five years old.

Rev. John S. Bowers, of Baltimore, president of the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, yesterday conferred with Rev. William H. Hantzmon regarding the action of the congregation of First Methodist Protestant Church of Wilmington, Del., in deposing him as pastor. Mr. Hantzmon, who is from Washington, where he was a Young Men's Christian Association worker, was asked to resign last Sunday night, following the publication of an article by him in which he severely criticized his predecessor, Rev. George L. Wolfe, for engaging in "the marriage trade." Mr. Hantzmon refuses to quit. Meanwhile, the members of the church declare they will not pay him any salary.

Efficiency in public service and the merit system rather than partisan politics will be the basis upon which President-elect Wilson will make his appointments to office, he indicated today. Governor Wilson had occasion to declare himself in this connection when a delegation of 30 men, representing various labor interests, made an earnest plea for the appointment of a Democrat to fill the State Commissionship of Labor, now held by a Republican. John T. Cosgrove, a Democrat and labor leader, was urged for the position to succeed Col. Lewis T Bryant, incumbent, who was appointed by a Republican Governor. The President-elect told the delegation he recognized the force of their arguments that labor should be represented in the Government by one who knew its interests but he saw no reason to displace Colonel Bryant, who had performed his duties faithfully and efficiently.

In a vigorous denunciation of the attitude of this country in the Panama Canal controversy with Great Britain, Senator Elihu Root closed a two-hour speech in the Senate yesterday with an appeal for the submission of the Panama question to arbitration, or the repeal of the section of the canal law that would give free passage to American coastwise ships.

Abandoning his vows of celibacy and ex-communicating himself from the church in which he had been a priest since 1898, Rev. David Hillhouse Buel, former president of Georgetown University, and more recently connected with Gonzagaa College, was secretly married in New York City to Miss Francis Katherine Powers, of Boston.

A man sprinted along the footpath near the Manhattan terminal of the Manhattan bridge yesterday, swerved suddenly, leaped over the railing and plunged downward. A moment later his body flattened out on the sidewalk of the little park below, in sight of 2,000 garment workers who were meeting there. Two letters, signed Solomon Bergman, were found in his clothing. "Hope, courage, belief, are everything,' 'read one. "I lost all, therefore I cannot live. I am proud to die on the soil which gives equal rights to all men."

The Spanish government has cancelled the punishment inflicted on a Protestant soldier for refusing to kneel during a mass at Ferrol, and will shortly publish a regulation drawn up in such a manner that a repitition of the incident will be impossible. The soldier had been condemned by the highest military court to six months imprisonment.

The most remarkable thing about the recent wreck about the steamship Veronese on the coast of Portugal is that a 10-months-old baby which was washed ashore wrapped in a blanket is alive and well. Latest computation is that there were 44 victims of the wreck. These include three first and three second class passengers, 33 Spanish emigrants, and 5 members of the crew.

MRS. MANSFIELD DOPED AND ROBBED

Said to Have Been Victim of Clairvoyant and His Supposed Wife.

CAN GIVE NO DETAILS.

Police of Venice Making Thorough Search for Alleged Fleecers of American Woman.

Venice, Jan. 22.—An unidentified French fortune teller was blamed by Mrs. William Mansfield for her condition, when the American woman who was mysteriously missing for several days, today, rallied for a short time from the semi-coma in which she had lain in a Venice hospital ever since she was picked up, dazed, in the street.

Mrs. Mansfield told the police during her lucid intervals that she met the Clairvoyant and a woman supposed to be his wife while in Rome. They induced her to come to Venice, she said, then drugged and robbed her. She could supply few details, but the police at once get a city-wide dragnet for the alleged fleecers.

In the meantime Mrs. Mansfield is under the protection of U. S. Concul Long.

The police and physicians, who have been in attendance on Mrs. Mansfield and since she was found semi-conscious in the streets, but who did not know her identity until yesterday, refused to allow visitors to see the woman and declared that she would not be questioned until she was fully recovered.

At the hospital where the identity of Mrs. Mansfield first was learned, it was said that she came to Venice two weeks ago and stopped in a boarding house. A police alarm by the proprietor started the search for the woman.

New York, Jan. 22.—Profesor William Mansfield, of Columbia University, profesed to believe today that there was no truth in the stories cabled from Italy regarding the mysterious disappearance of his wife, at first believed to have been kidnapped for ransom by brigands and later found dazed in the street of Venice.

"The very fact that name of the stories agree convinces me that they are unreliable," said Mansfield. "It was said that Mrs. Mansfield wah of a nervous temperament. This is absolutely not so. Now as a matter of fact if anything was the matter with Mrs Mansfield I would be the first person that she would communicate with. She is an experienced traveler and the very fact that she has sent me no word makes me believe that there is nothing in the story at all.

"Mrs. Mansfiled has been traveling securing material for her literary work and she has no fixed plans. I think the only thing that happened was that she left her boarding house and failed to leave a forewarding address; that the proprietor became anxious and started an inquiry which the newspapers have deliberately distorted I will not believe a word of the story and will make no attempt to investigate it."

Indians Cause Apprehension.

Cortez, Colo., Jan. 22.—So threatening has become the attitude of the Ute Indians on the reservation near here that while persons in the vicinity are arming themselves in anticipation of an uprising. The Federal Indian Office in Washington has ordered Indian Agent Spear to use force to compel the Red Men to surrender Big Rabbit, an Indian accused of shooting a Mexican to Sheriff Todd. Spear will try to pacify the Aborigines and persuade them to surrender Big Rabbit peacefully.

The Utes have retreated into the mountainous parts of the reservation, evidently anticipating an attack by whites, and have fortified themselves.

Miners Strike.

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 22.—Twenty-two hundred miners of the Reading Coal Mining Company went on strike today completely croppling two large collieries because certain of their number refused to wear union buttons. At the Shenandoah Mines one thousand men left their work and 1,200 at the Brookside colliery followed.

TO HOLD JOINT MEETING

Members of Finance and General Laws Committee Hold Informal Conference Last Night.

President F. F. Marbury, of the Board of Aldermen, has issued a call for a special meeting of the two branches of City Council for 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night, for the purpose of taking up the question of whether or not the city shall appeal the annexation case just decided against Alexandria, by Judge Bennett T. Gordon, of Nelson county, Va.

At this meeting it is supposed that definite plans on this matter will be decided upon.

At an informal discussion on the matter between the members of the Finance and General Laws Committee and attorneys for the city last night it was concluded that it would be best to call a joint session of the two boards at which time the attorneys for the city could make their report to Council and advise in regard to the matter. It is probable that the attorneys will recommend that the case be promptly appealed, and it is the general opinion among the citizens that such action should be taken.

BEFORE SUPREME COURT.

Two important Safe Deposit and Trust Company Cases Being Heard Today.

The Supreme Court of Appeals in Richmond today is hearing two important cases growing out of the failure of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation. One is H. H. Miller vs. the receivers, claiming certain credits which were not allowed by the receivers and the other is an appeal by R. Lee Camden, former cashier of the branch at Lovingston, Va., who was ordered by Judge Barley, of the Corparation Court to return certain funds which were paid out by him after the bank was placed in the hands of the receivers.

Samuel G. Brent, representing the receivers ,is in Richmond conducting the cases.

SUES FOR LOSS OF BRIDE'S LOVE

Clarence Womeldorf, Who Institutes Proceedings Against Mother-in-Law For $25,000.

Staunton, Va., Jan. 22.—A sensational alienation suit, in which a large number of persons here are interested, has just been instituted by Clarence Womeldorf, of Lexington, Va., a former student of a business college here, aginst the mother of his heiress-bride, Mrs. Frances Boss, widow of Charles Boss, a wealthy brewer of Cincinnati, Ohio.

It is contended that the bride, who was Miss Nora Boss, 20 years old, separated from her husband because he could not live amid the luxury and splendor his young wife had enjoyed throughout her girlhood days.

Womeldorf, 24 years old, who is suing Mrs Boss for $25,000, was a waiter in a Cincinnati restaurant in which the young heiress and her mother frequently had their meals. The girl became acquainted with the handsome young Virginian and they soon became engaged.

An elopment in a snowstorm followed Jan. 2. They seemed extremely happy for a few days, but the bride ascertained facts as to her husband's salary. She says he told her he received from $20 to $25 a week and said he was able to supoport a wife. She later learned, it is alleged, that he received only $35 a month.

The bride then instituted suit for divorce, after having been married only thirteen days. A few days later her husband consulted a lawyer, and has filed suit against the mother-in-law, charging her with alienating his wife's affections, and alleging that he has suffered such mortification by the charges contained in the divorce papers that he was forced to give up his position as a waiter.

Womeldorf says his father owns a large farm near Lexington, Va., and he wanted the heiress-bride to go there on a honeymoon.

The bride charges failure to support and extreme cruelty, and says she was forced to leave the furnished room at 2389 Kemperlane, which she and her husband occupied,and return to the home of her mother, at Crescent Place.

Steamed Oysters at Bammel's Cafe.

REVOLUTION IS LIKELY IN MEXICO

Starving Peons are Clamoring Loudly For Distribution of Land.

MAGON PROPOGANDA.

Industrial Socialism Spreading and Now Beyond Control of Madero or Any Similar Government.

Washington, Jan. 22.—A veritable French Revolution, whose jury can only be appeased by distribution of land to the starving peons, is the picture of the present Mexican warfare conveyed in private information to members of the Senate committee on foreign relations today. Flaming with industrial revolt, which is inspired by widespread faith in the Magon preaching of "industrial socialism" conditions in the southern republis are declared to be beyond the power either of contral of the Madero or any similar government to pacify.

Senator Smith of Michigan, chairman of the sub-committee which has been investigating Mexican troubles, upon his return from El Pasco refused today to discuss the situation beyond expressing the belief that no report or resolutions would be brought into the Senate, dealing with the subject at present. He said that he had talked with a member of the Madero cabinet, but declined to comment on the hope of official Mexico that will be put down.

According however to the information received by the committee members, the Madero regime is doomed. All of the abuses which led to the overthrow of Diaz's ownership of the land by a few immensely favorites of the government, and practical enslavement of a large proportion of the people are continud today. Worst of all the "Hannequin" plantations of Yucatan remain vast slave pens, their profits going into a few hands. It is in this region that the rebels are committing the most terrible barbarities upon the landowners whom they capture. Usually the rebels are former slaves of the district.

The committee learns further that Madero and his advisers refuse to surrender any of their lands, or to restore civil rights to the people, for fear that this concession will only hasten their fall.

Leaders in the present movement are said to be Ragon, Sarabia, and other radicals, formerly associated with the I. W. W. band of revolutionists in lower California.

GRATIFYING REPORT.

Good Progress Made by Anti-Tuberculosis Society. Prizes Awarded.

At the quarterly meeting of the Alexandria Anti-Tuberculosis Society, held last night, the Treasurer made the following report:

From sale of tickets from play given by Alexandria Dramatic Club $154.85
Expenses 38.50

Total $116.35
The treasurer reported available on hand January 1, ... $390.87

As the estimated expenses from January 1 to June 30 are $426.00, is it is hoped that some who have not already contributed to this work may feel a desire to do so.

The President reported most gratifying results from the sale of Red Cross Seals, the amount of $342.40 having been realized, fifty percent. of this amount going to the Alexandria Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

The cash prize of $5.00 was awarded to Albert Bryan, he having sold 1,809 seals, the largest number sold by any school child in the city. The prize for the person selling the greatest number of stamps, was awarded to Lee School. The Board appreciating so highly the work done by the pupils of Washington School, decided to also award a prize to that school, it to be given to the room selling the largest number of seals.

Norfolk Oysters in all styles at Bammel's Cafe.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Miss Elizabeth Pierce, president of Washington District Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, will address the ladies of Trinity M. E. Church tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock in the church parlor. All interested in the foreign work are cordially invited.

Owing to the fact that the Sunday school room is being repaired, services tonight in Trinity M. E. Church, will be held in the auditorium upstairs. The men's choir will do the singing. The pastor will preach a short sermon on the subject,"Can Sin be Forgiven?"

The only case before the Police Court this morning was that of James Johnson, colored, who was charged with assaulting Bettie Mason, colored. He was dismissed, the complainant having withdrawn the warrant.

The funeral of the late William E. Grady took place this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Kelly and the pallbearers were Michael Downey, M. E. Norris, B. F. Bettis and James B. Martin.

Eugene E. Fisher, of Elwood City, was arrested yesterday by United States Deputy Marshall Schoeni and brought to the Alexandria jail where he is being held to await the action of the United States authorities on the charge of sending improper matter through the mails.

The regular monthly meeting of the Retail Merchants' Association was held last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Only business of a routine nature wa stransacted.

SAYS RATES ARE FAIR.

W. R. Emmert Testifies in Behalf of Washington and Old Dominion Ry..

Rates now in effect on the Washington and Old Dominion Railway are lower than they should be and are fair and reasonable from the commuters' standpoint, asserted William R. Emmert, general manager of the road, testifying in the case of S. T. J. Price, againt the road, yeterday afternoon, before Examiner Edgar J. Smith, of the Interstate Comerce Commission.

The case which has been brought by the committee on the line between Great Falls and Washington to prevent an increase of rates was continued form last Monday, and yesterday was again continued untilnext Monday The evidence which has been produced has been technical, and consists of table of statistics and charts showing comparative rates wit hother lines and comparative rates of stations along the Great Falls line.

BANQUET OF SHARPS & FLATS.

Arrangements are being made for a banquet of "Sharps and Flats" the amateur musical organization of Alexandria which recently sang the opera, "Mikado," at the Opera House, to be given within the next two weeks at Log Camp Hall. At that time it will be decided whether or not the "Mikado" will be repeated, as well as the name of the next opera to be presented.

NEW WESTMINSTER HALL.

Rev. Dr. J. L. Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, stated that there will be a joint meeting after church Sunday, of the deacons and elders who will suggest plans for the opening of Westminster Hall, which it is expected will be ready for occupancy by March 1st. A program is to be arranged at this meeting, for the opening day.

ORDERED HIS RELEASE.

William Bailey, colored, who was arrested some time ago on the charge of violating the revenue laws and who gave bond for his apperance this month before the United States District Court, was re-arrested a few day sago on the charge of failing to appear for trial. He was later released by order of Judge Waddill, as it was alleged that he did appear at the time specified, but as the case was postponed until the July term, he had been allowed to depart having, as he supposed, continued his bond.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Horace Talbot will be held tomorrow(Thursday) afternoon, January 23rd, at 3 p. m., from his late residence, 1017 King street. Interment private.

STRIKERS WANT AN INVESTIGATION

Say an Examination Will Disclose Startling Conditions.

PROGRESSIVES' AID.

Chicago Garment Makers Announce That 50,000 Will Strike if New York Contracts are Not Broken.

New York, Jan. 22.—Hopes of a thousands of garment workers who are striking to force abandonment of sweatshop and tenement labor, and to gain improved sanitary working conditions and shorter working hours and better pay, that a legislature investigation of trade conditions will be forced, were high today. They declare that if such an industry can be held conditions will be revealed that will rival the disclosures in the cannery industry. The strike leaders openly assert that state laws limiting the hours of labor for women are being constanly and almost universally violated and that if the people could only be told under oath of the way many workers have to toil the strike would immediately collapse.

The fact that Col. Theodore Roosevelt personally investigated the strike situatio nand has wired the progressive representative in the state Senate a demand that he force a legislative inquiry cheered the leaders.

Meanwhile the attempts to force settlement of trouble through arbitration were being renewed with vigor The chamber of commerce committee the self-constituted citizens' committee and the state board of arbitration were all working to get both sides together. The favored suggested plan was a general increase of wages and arbitration of all the remaining demands of the union. The reports from Rochester, Chicago and other cities that the strike was to spread throughout the country because of the work being done for New York concerns had alarmed many of the manufactureres who had heretofore favored keeping their local factories closed and the chances for settlement seemed a trifle brighter today.

The suffering of the striking workers is intense. Many are now depended on the aid of fellow-workers for bread to live on, yet the fighting spirit seemed unchanged. At all of the mass-meetings held today the slogan was "starvation before surrender" and there seemed no sign of weakening.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Representatives of the garment workers of Chicago today went before a committee of clothing manufacturers and told them that 30,000 workers would go out on strike in eight days unless contracts to do work for New York shops were broken This was the decision at the mass-meeting of garment workers last night.

No other demands are to be made of the employers. The question of wages and hours was not considered. Three thousand workers attended the meeting.

The employers denied today that they had any contracts with New York factories. Union officials say they have definite evidence, however.

The manufacturers have announced their willingness to arbitrate and union officials will take up this proposition today.

To be Taken to the Penitentiary.

Guard R. M. Jonson, from the Richmond penitentiary, arrived at the city jail today and took charge of Henry Stevens, colored, who is to serve two years for assaulting Peter Snellings with a knife.

CORPORATION COURT.

In the Corporation Court today before Judge Louis C. Barley, the suit of the Baltimore Bargain House, against Jacob Rose, for $213 was tried. The suit was the result over a dispute of a bill of goods. Howard W. Smith represented the plaintiff and Jas. R. and H.B.Caton the defendants. A verdict was rendered by jury in favor of Rose for $172.

A suit for $148.58 instituted by Isaroy Beach against the Mount Vernon and Marshall Hall Steamboat Co. was commenced this afternoon.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria-- Happenings in Society.

Mr. J. H. Grillbortzer who has been confined at home by illnes for several days, is slightly better today.

Miss Blanche Stansbury is the guest of Miss Susie Yates in Fredericksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Weston will entertain at cards this evening at their home, 224 south Washington street, in honor of Mrs. Charles C. Greene, of Laurel, Del., who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Bannon Cooper.

Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church, left today for Wilmington, Del., to visit his family, who have been spending the holidays there. He will return home with his family Saturday next.

Announcement ha sbeen received of the marriage of Mr. Robert Knox Moncure, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moncure, of Fredericksburg, to Miss Elizabeth Tackett Brannin, of Thomasville, Ga., on Jauary 17th. The bride has relatives in this city.

The "Kit Kats" met yesterday afternoon with Miss Mary Snowden, at her home on King street.

Miss Esther Burke entertained the Auction Bridge Club of wihch she is a member last evening at her home on Prince street. Those present were Misses Sophia Tackett, Emily Johnson, Esther Green, Alice Anderton, Christina Kemper, Messrs. William Brooke, Stanley Blanton, George Anderton, Julian Burke, Walter Foster and Beauderic Howell.

Mrs. Unduch of Baltimore, is the guest of her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Lycurgus E. Uhler, at their residence, 321 south Washington street.

Virginian Endorsed by Labor.

L. E. Lookabill ,of Roanoke, Va., well known in Alexandria, has been indorsed by the Central Trades and Labor Council of that city for the position of fourth assistant postmaster general under the incoming Democratic administration. The action was taken at a recent meeting of the council, there being no dissenting votes. Mr. Lookabill is an employing printer of Roanoke, a member of the typographical union and a lifelong Democrat.

TO ELECT LIEUTENANT.

The Alexandria Light Infantry, officially known as Company G., 1st. regiment, Virginia volunteers, will hold a meeting on next Monday night for the purpose of electing a second lieutenant of the company. The position has been vacant for some time.

PIN MONEY
MELON MANGOES.
25c and 50c Jar.
THOS. LANNON,
Cor. Cameron and Pitt.

QUERIES FOR TAX-PAYERS

Blanks Received From Richmond By Commissioner of the Revenue Callahan.

Commissioner of the Revenue, Charles H. Callahan, has received the personal property interrogatories which the law requires to be submitted to every taxable subject of the commonwealth, answers to which must be made under oath. As there was some friction last year concerning the returns made to the commissioner of the revenue, the amount of property, income, etc., taxed by the state will doubtless show an increase this year.

The constitution and the law require all assessments of personal property must be at fair market value on February 1st of each year and the commissioner shall begin, annually, on February 1st, to take list of persons and property.

Tax-payer is required to furnish list of all property, money credits or other subjects of taxation, and the value thereof.

The tax-payer shall forfeit not less than $30, nor more than $1,000, for failure to furnish sworn answers to interrogatories and will be fined, not less than $20, nor more than $100, if he refuse to exhibit to the commissioner of the revenue or his duly qualified deputy, the property mentioned in the answers to the interrogatories.

A tax-payer who renders a false list of personal property must be proceeded against by the attorney for commonwealth, trial to be by jury, and if a verdict be rendered establishing a false list, the court shall render judgment for double the amount of the taxes, for the costs, and for $5, fee for the attorney for the Commonwealth, and the court shall direct the treasurer of the county or city, upon 10 days' notice, to sell, for cash, the property of the tax-payer.

The commissioner of the revenue must call on every person in his district to furnish list of property, etc.

The commissioner, or his duly qualified deputy, to apply in person to obtain answers to interrogatories; and if necessary, in order to obtain the answers the commissioner shall apply at least three times for such answers.

REBUILING PIER.

Walter Roberts has started the rebuilding of his pier between King and Prince streets. New cribbing logs are being placed in position and new fender piles will be driven. The cribbing will be filled, and it is stated that the timber portion of the structure will be strengthened and redocked. This pier, until the building of the new pier at the foot of Cameron street, was the landing place of all the steamers to and from the lower river and also of most of the excursion boats in the summer months.

SERVICE IMPROVED.

As a result of conferences held between the committee of the Chamber of Commerce and the Washington and Old Dominion Railway, the service on that road is said to be greatly improved.

Mr. James E. Legg, who was seriously injured by a runaway horse several weeks ago and who had been at the Alexandria Hospital, is able to be out again.

JANUARY AND MAY BLEND

Cold Wave to be Followed by More Mild Weather During the Present Week.

The freak weather of the present winter, in this section of the country, has brought forth many observations from oldest inhabitants, the season, so far, having been remarkable for the absence of exceedingly cold weather. Warm and unseasonable conditions have prevailed at times ince the 21st of December, when, according to the almanac, winter began. After the prevalance of southern zephyrs for a few days the wind has changed to the northwest, when cool waves have succeeded the soft and warm temperature. The wind, however, soon turned again towards the south, bringing repetitions of former meteorological conditions.

A big, round moon floated last night ing a cloudless sky, suggestive of ghosts' walks. The air was cool, but not uncomfortably cold. The weather today has again been mild and springlike. Bluebirds and robins have appeared in Baltimore.

SMALLPOX CASE.

Dr. Hardesty, of the Health Department of the District of Columbia, accompanied by Dr. R. J. Corbett, health officer of Alexandria county, and Dr. R. J. Yates, of Del Ray, appeared at the Potomac Railway yards yesterday and vaccinated all of the clerks employed at the transfer to prevent a spread of smallpox a clerk having been discovered suffering from the disease. Again last night other clerks, employed on the night shift, were vaccinated by Dr. Yates, bringing the total up to seventy vaccinated.

The employes of the transfer, who live in Washington, were vaccinated by Dr. Hardesty, and those living in Virginia were vaccinated by Drs. Corbett and Yates.

Dr. Yates fumigated the place.

FIRE COMPANY ELECTS.

Annual Meeting of the Reliance Engine Company Held Last Night.

The annual meeting of the Relinace Engine Company No. 5, was held last night and the following officers elected: L. E. Uhler, president; J. Sidney Douglas, 1st. vice-perseident; W. P. Taylor, 2nd. vice-president; H. B. Arnold, treasurer; Frank Glasgow, secretary; Eugene Rogers, assistant secretary; A. T. Sullivan, recorder; W. H. Bontz, sr., W. H. Bontz, jr., and John Schofield, executive committee; A. D. Grimes, captain, K. W. Ogden, 1st. lieutenant; W. M. Glasgow, 2nd. lieutenant; Conrad Schwab, commander of hose.

A committee was appointed to arrange for an oyster roast which will be given in honor of the two other active companies ,the chief of the department and the fire committee of City Council.

The annual report showed the company to be in a flourishing condition.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

The 3-year-old daughter of Gertie Knight colored, living at 327 First street, was burned to death yesterday afternoon during the temporary absence of her mother. The clothing of the child became ignited while playing with a box of matches.

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Deposits November 26, 1912	$851,762
Deposits November 10, 1904	452,824

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Following on the heels of the impeachment of Judge Robert W. Archbald, Senator Pomerene, of Ohio, this afternoon introduced a joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment that Congress may provide for other causes of impeachment than those now provided for, and other methods for the trial of all civil officers, except the President, vice-president and supreme court members.

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Shamokin, Pa. — Condemned to death for the murder of a companion, Frederick Nye, 18, smiled broadly, put out his hands handcuffed, and thanked the judge for the sentence.

NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION.

VIRGINIANS IN CELEBRATION.

Anniversary of the Battle of Leesburg to be of Great Magnitude.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 22.—Virginia will take a prominent part in the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg, which takes place July 1, 2, and 3 or this year.

The magnitude of the event can be realized when it is known that the United States government will send 54,000 tents to the scene. There will be 200 kitchens and 1,600 cooks. Two hundred and seventy-six acres have been set apart for camp ground and water works are being erected to supply 100,000 people.

The state of Pennsylvania has appropriated $250,000 to give every veteran in that state the opportunity to attend, the congress will give $150,000.

The State of Virginia made no appropriation to get the veterans to Gettysburg and the task will fall to the lot of private citizens who are interested in the event to assist the old soldiers who cannot pay their own expenses to the celebration.

A meeting will be held in Richmond in the near future to discuss plans for getting the veterans to the celebration.

It is intended to have the base of the Virginia monument, the first to be erected on the field by a Southern State, together with the group now under construction in New York, unveiled during this celebration, and a large part of the honor of the occasion will come to Virginia. Next to the peace monument unveiling, this will lead other events of the occasion and will come first with the veterans of this state. The equestrian statue of Gen. Robert E. Lee, which is surmount the monument, will not be ready by that time.

YOUNG BANKER ON TRIAL.

Accused of Robbing Institution at Newport News.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 22.—When the United States Court adjourned for the day late yesterday afternoon evidence was still being submitted in the case of Milton R. Nock, charged with making false entries in the books of the National Bank of Newport News in 1908, when he was an employe of that institution. Under charge of court officials the jury was taken to the Lynnhaven hotel for supper and the night.

Nock is accused of making away with about $10,000 belonging to the bank. His speculations were not discovered until he had left Newport News, following his sudden marriage in Jersey City to a Miss Myers. The notoriety arising out of the marriage caused him to sever his conneceion with the bank and he went north to live. Then the false entries made by Nock in the books of the bank were discovered and an effort made to locate him. For a long time detectives employed by the company were unable to locate him.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Police Chief Charles Dickey, who was shot down by a negro thief in Gulport, Miss., early yesterday when he responded to an appeal for assistance from two patdolmen. The negro was captured several hours later by several hundred citizens and taken to jail under threat of mob violence. An hour later he was indicted by the grand jury for murder, and was placed on trial. An hour was spent in hearing the evidence. The jury returned a verdict of guilty after deliberating less than sixty seconds. The negro was sentenced to be hanged February 21.

Mrs. Belle Clark, an artist, was shot three times and probably fatally wounded by Harry Spense, while asleep in her apartments at Indiana, Pa. Spense, who is 50 years old, attempted to escape, but was arrested six miles from the city. Mrs. Clarke is the wife of a Duboise, Pa., hotel proprietor and Spense, it is said, was infatuated with her.

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T. WILEY DAVIS ILL.

Grand Secretary of Virginia Odd Fellows Suffers from Pneumonia.

Richmond, Jan. 22.—T. Wiley Davis, for more than a third of a century grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of Odd-Fellows of Virginia, at his home, 2700 East Broad stree. Because of his advanced age—seventy-eight—his family and friends are exceedingly apprehensive of the outcome. Yesterday was the thirteenth day of his illness, and nothing save his strong constitution has prevented a fatal termination of his illness already. That alone is a hope for ultimate recovery.

Probably no man in Virginia who has never been in public life is more widely known. Mr. Davis has been the balance wheel of the Grand Lodge of Odd-Fellows for so many years that no man who now attends the sessions of that body can remember when he was not the life of the meetings. He has gone about the state, visiting local lodges, and has become acquainted with many people. His office work has kept him in touch with thousands of members of the order.

Last night Mr. Davis was resting easily, and it was felt that he was at least no worse.

BRYCE TO ADDRESS STUDENTS.

"Ancient Democracy" to be Subject of Lecture.

University of Va., Jan. 22.—"Ancient Democracy" will be the subject of the Barbour-Page lectures to be delivered at the University of Virginia this year by James Bryce, former ambassador from Great Britain to the United States.

The lectures will begin next Tuesday in Cabell Hall. They will be concluded Wednesday, and the visit of Mr. Bryce will cause an unusually large attendance at the lectures, as a large number of persons will come here to hear him.

It is understood that Mr. Bryce is a great admirer of Thomas Jefferson and the University of Virginia, he having made his principal address at one of the Founder's Day" celebrations here several years ago.

Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page gave the University the sum of $22,000 in 1907 for the establishment of the Barbour-Page foundation. Distinguished lecturers are heard here every year as a result of Mrs. Page's generosity.

No More Bill Boards.

Lynchburg, Va., Jan. 22.—The common council at a called meeting Monday concurred in an amendment to the tax ordinance passed by the aldermen forbidding the construction of any more bill boards in the city.

The mayor signed it and the policemen were sent out at once to prevent the construction of boards by the National Bill Posters' Association, which was putting up boards in what is reported to be a fight against the local billposters.

Parricide on Trial.

Winchester, Va., Jan. 22.—The trial of John Knadler, the young farmer, accused of the murder of his father-Murnan M. Knadler ,on the night of November 4th, last, was being held yesterday in the circuit court in Martinsburg, W. Va.

It was shown by the state that the father and son had an altercation; that the father struck down the son with a chair, and that the so ncursed his father and declared that as his father had threatened to kill him, he, the son, would perhaps act first.

The next morning the body of the father was found on the premises, lying across a watering trough. Dr. Henshaw and Dr. Oats testified that death might have resulted from a blow on the head.

The contention of the defense is that after the excitement of the quarrel with the son, the father, who was subject to "spells," left the scene of the quarrel, wis stricken and fell with suc hviolence against the trough as to cause death. The widow and a daughter of the dead man testified their belief that his death was the result of a "spell."

Burned to Death.

Suffolk, Va., Jan. 22.—Not satisfied at the slow progress of her kitchen fire, Aletha Bland, a young negro woman, living in Jericho, a settlement near Suffolk, poured coal oil into the blaze and was almost immediately enveloped in flames, burning to a crisp before help could arrive.

The house caught fire but was extinguished. The woman died while members of her family were away from home.

SEVERE VERDICT.

Democrat And Republican Get Into Trouble.

Norton, Va., Jan. 22.—C. G. Duffey and J. F. Arrington, were each fined $500, and given a six months' jail sentence in Judge Skeen's court, Monday for violation of the election laws at Stonega precinct, Wise county, in the election for county officials held last November a year ago.

According to a quite general interpretation of the law such a sentence will also disfranchise both men for life.

The evidence adduced at court showed that Duffey, who is a Republican, and Arrington a Democrat, acting as judges at the Stonega precinct, had an understanding with each other to mark or assist in marking the ballots of all the voters who applied, each of the judges acting for his respective party in the matter.

The law provides that all voters registered after the year 1904, unless physically incapacitated shall mark their own ballots.

This provision according to the evidence was disregarded, and any voter was assisted who desired it. This was the ground on which the cases were prosecuted, and which resulted in a verdict of guilty.

Stonega precinct votes about thirty five negroes, or did in the election referred to most if not nearly all of whom were registered after 1904, and therefore, not entitled to assistance in the preparation of their ballots.

Virginia Health Conditions.

"Sanitation in the Southern states is advancing rapidly. It is receiving as much attention as other lines of progress," declares Dr. Allen W. Freeman, assistant commissioner of health for Virginia, who was in Washington a day or two ago.

"No one who is not fully acquainted with the situation," said Dr. Freeman, "realizes what tremendous advances have been made by the state boards of health of the south within the last few years.

"In Virginia, for instance, the state board of health was reorganized four years ago, and since that time has grown from a merely advisory office to one of the largest and most active of the departments of the state government.

"The appropriations made by the legislature of Virginia have increased from about $4,000 for 1908 to approximately $100,000 for 1912. The results of this expansion have been gratifying to the people of Virginia in the extreme.

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Notice of Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, January 20, 1913, at 1 P. M., to elect directors for the ensuing year.

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VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of December, 1912.

Mary C. Wright Long, Vs. William Ralph Long. In Chancery.

Memo:

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant an absolute divorce from defendant upon the lapsing of three years from the original desertion, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment; for resumption of maiden name; and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, William Ralph Long is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That the said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste:
Robinson Moncure, P. Q.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

HOWARD FIELDS, Esq. Auctioneer.

By virtue of a deed of trust bearing date the 6th day of May, 1905, and duly of record in the land records of the County of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 109, Page 568, made by Ashley H. Miner and others, to the undersigned trustee, and being thereunto requested by the legal holder of the note thereby secured default having been made in the payment of the same, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale, at public auction on

SATURDAY, the 1st DAY of FEBRUARY, 1913 at 3 O'clock P. M.

in front of the premises, all those two parcels of ground lying and being in the County of Alexandria, Virginia, on the east side of Mt. Vernon Avenue, to the north of Hume Schoolhouse, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

First—Beginning at a point in the center of Mount Vernon Avenue, 9.82 poles north of the north corner of Glover's lot, and running thence S. 77 degrees E. 85 poles; thence N. 81 degrees E. 18 poles; thence N. 12 degrees 20' E. 15 poles; thence S.81 degrees W. 31.5 poles; thence N. 77 degrees W. 72 poles to the center of Mount Vernon Avenue; and thence along the center line of said avenue S. 18 1-2 degrees E. 9.82 poles to the beginning containing 7.11 acres.

Second: Begining at a point in the center line of Mount Vernon Avenue 19 64 poles north of Glover's lot, and running thence S. 77 degrees E. 72 poles; thence N. 81 degrees E. 31.50 poles; thence N. 12 degrees 20' E. 14 poles; thence S. 81 degrees W. 40.98 poles; thence N. 77 degrees W. 63 poles to the center in line of Mount Vernon Avenue; and thence with the said center line S. 18 degrees 30' E. 0.18 piles to the beginning; containing 7.11 acres.

Terms of Sale:—Cash; all cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

DOUGLASS STUART, Trustee.
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VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of December, 1912.

William Albert Berkeley, Vs. Edna Ellen Berkeley. In Chancery.

Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree amensa et thoro from the defendant Edna Ellen Berkeley, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without lawful cause or excuse; and that the complainant, William Albert Berkeley, be decreed such further and other relief as to equity is right.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Edna Ellen Berkeley, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That the said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste.
Chas. E. Corgan. P. Q.
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"Alexandria is booming' 'is the cry of the Alexandrians, and then they cry some more,and the newspapers of that giddy old town also announce the fact in black and white that Alexandria is not only on the map, but is becoming a progressive city. But with what all this clamor about the growth of Alexandria there comes another "but" and it is this:

"With the progressing progress of the progressive city of Alexandria, it has progressed so rapidly that it has worn holes in its financial pockets, and it appears all of its money—or at least a good part of it—has been strewn along the byways and highways of progressing progressiveness.

"This is what the members of the Fredericksbury jury think, who were summoned to Alexandria to sit in the Hooff trial, for when a number deposited their warrants into the Farmers and Merchants Bank of this city, to get their money for their labor in Alexandria, and when application had been made to Alexandria the information came back that there was no money in the city treasury of the booming town of Alexandria to pay the Fredericksburg jury ,and they would have to wait until March 1.

"If Alexandria will hold back from progressing so progressively for a short time she may be able to mend the holes in her financial pockets so she will be able to pay the jury who visited within her gates for a faw days and endured the smell of her many saloons. This city has no saloon and manages to pay her debts, even if the city is not progressing as rapidly as Alexandria, as the city treasurer's last report up to January 16, shows $6,594.59 in the treasury."

The foregoing is clipped from the Fredericksburg Journal. Let us explain to our patient readers that it is not really supposed to be true. The article has two excuses; first, it is intended to be humorous, and second, it gives our contemporary the opportunity to publish in an off-hand manner the alleged fact that Fredericksburg is the proud possessor of $6,594.59, and create the impression that it is nothing unusual to have that much real money in her treasury.

We do not understand why the Fredericksburgers were compelled to 'endure the smell of our many saloons"; anyone can stay out of the saloons by keeping a firm grip on the water wagon, but it is a well-known fact that "'the smell' 'is no treat to Fredericksburg because many gallons of that same perfumery are daily imported both from Alexandria and Richmond, and we are told that when the local train pulls in, there is always at the station a large crowd of eager aspirants for the first whiff.

As to the pay of the jurors, let us inform our contemporary that the City of Alexandria does not pay the jurors. They are paid by the State on warrants drawn on the state treasury. So will our esteemed contemporary turn his guns on one C. Lee Moore, State Auditor, whose address is Richmond, Virginia,and who makes a speciality of collecting income taxes. Also permit us to state that when our treasury gets so low that we only have $6,594.59 we will keep very quiet about it.

But think of the possibilities of $6,594.59 in Fredericksburg. We pause to wonder what they will do with it. If in the course of the next ten or fifteen years it is all expended, will our esteemed contemporary kindly publish an itemized statement so that we may be informed? Really, that $6,594.59 looks to us like a waste of good material of course, $6,594.59 in real money in the hands of one man in Fredericksburg would be something to boast of; he could own the whole town, if he desired; but then, who wants to own Fredericksburg?

MOVEMENT AGAINST CUSTOM HOUSE.

The movement on the part of the Treasury Department to retrench by consolidating customs houses in various places throughout the country is naturally causing resentment. This is not the first time the republican party, after having been unhorsed, has resorted to this spirit of revenge in abolishing offices after they found their supporters could hold them no longer. It was practiced in Alexandria shortly before Grover Cleveland was inducted into office. So long as this organization holds the reins it never occurs to the administration that certain offices can be abolished, but instead positions have been multiplied in order that partisans of the party could enjoy sinecures.

The internal revenue office was removed from Alexandria to Abingdon several years ago, and our city has been gradually stripped of everything she at one time possessed in the way of adjuncts to commerce, and this latest movement, which has for its object the abolition of its custom house will, if carried out, be the coup de grace.

For over a hundred years the city has rightfully enjoyed the privileges incident to a custom house, and the danger of the city in the near future not being regarded as a port of entry is, to say the least, exasperating to her citizens.

In the olden times, or up to the middle of the fifties, the Alexandria custom house was located in a building which stood upon the site of the store now occupied by Lindsey & Co., at the southwest corner of King and Union streets. About 1857 it was removed to the postoffice building. During the civil war its old home was used as a government bakery.

Alexandria, however, is not the only Virginia city which is to be humiliated by the abolition of its custom house. Norfolk, one of the busiest ports on the Atlantic seaboard, is about to become a branch of the Newport News office.

Billion dollar Congresses generally follow republican victories. Retrenchment and reform are the battle cries of the vanquished.

PNEUMONIA LURKS IN CLOSE PLACES.

During the present uncertain weather, while the thermometer is maranthoning up and down the tube, the careful citizen is warned by the State Board of Health to take no chances and in particular to beware of the sneezer, the spitter and the close room.

In fact, the sneezer is put under a special ban in a bulletin just issued by the Board and is indicated for various offenses against the good health and peace of the Commonwealth. He is to be given a wide berth by the citizen who desires to avoid colds and is urged, in particular, to avoid the infection of his fellows.

Says the bulletin of the Board: "This week of changing weather, with varying temperature, is most dangerous and will be the cause of many cases of pneumonia and influenza unless proper precautions are taken. As one cannot surmise what will be the noon temperature when he leaves his home in the morning, he should be protected against sudden changes. He should always take his overcoat with him and should always put it on when leaving close rooms and going into the open air.

"Of almost equal importance," continues the bulletin, "is the necessity of proper ventilation. No greater mistake can be made than to suppose that in cold weather the house or office should be sealed as tightly as possible. On the coptrary, even on the coldest days, there should be ample ventilation. If this be procured and the windows be so arranged that there will be no draft where those in the room are seated, there will be much less danger of colds.

"A fruitful source of infection at this time is careless sneezing, especially in close places, such as street cars, elevators, churches and public buildings. Influenza is readily communicable and its germs leave the body with the fine mist thrown from the mouth and nose when one sneezes. Any person suffering from influenza or cold should be thoughtful enough to place a handkerchief or his hand over his mouth and nose when he sneezes. Where a person fails to keep his sneezing to himself, those about him should give him as wide a berth as possible. In this weather, the careless sneezer belongs with the careless spitter."

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:02 a. m., 12:16, 3:22, 5:17 (local) 8:27, 9:52, 10.02 p. m., daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a. m., daily. On week days this train runs through to Milford.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia, on the 26th day of November, 1912.

This day came the plaintiff, by counsel, and the cause thereinafter depending coming on to be heard upon the papers formerly read, and upon the report of Commissioners of Sale heretofore appointed by this Court, in the above entitled cause, and was argued by counsel; on consideration whereof, the Court doth ratify and confirm said report, and doth adjudge, order and decree that the sale of the property mentioned and described in said report, to-wit: Lot No. 1 of the subdivision of the property of Richard Harvard, in his own right, etc., complainant, against J. K. Allison, sheriff-administrator, etc., and others, defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale were therein ordered and decreed to expose the said property at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House, in the City of Alexandria, decedent, Virginia, which property being Lot No. 1, of the division of Farm, containing about fifty acres of good land, at such time and after such advertisement as seemed to them proper, but at a price of not less than $60 per acre.

And now, in pursuance of said decree the undersigned Special Commissioners of sale will expose to sale said fifty acres of land at a price not less than $60 per acre, on SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1913, in front of the ROYAL ENTRANCE to the MARKET HOUSE, ALEXANDRIA, VA., being bounded and described as follows:

Lot No. 1 of property: Beginning at "A," in the centre of the County road where the line of Henderson or the Simon Quigley estate, now, and thence with said line South 89 1-2 degrees East to a stone, a corner of Clifton; thence with the Clifton line North 31 1-2 degrees East 16.75 chains to a corner of Lot No. 2; thence with the line of the same North 68 1-2 degrees West 24.80 chains to the aforesaid County road; and thence with the aforesaid County road to the beginning, containing fifty acres, more or less, said land being well wooded and in convenient driving distance of Alexandria City, Va.

Terms: All cash, or one-third cash and the balance in two equal instalments at six and twelve months. Conveyancing to be at the cost of the purchasers.

ROBINSON MONCURE
THOMAS E. KEITH
Special Commissioners of Sale

In the Clerk's Office of Fairfax County Circuit Court, Virginia, November, 26, 1912.

I, W. E. Graham, Deputy Clerk, of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, do certify that Robinson Moncure, one of the above named Commissioners of sale, has duly this day given bond as provided by law and decree entered in above named cause, with United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as his surety, for the due performance of his duties as such Commissioner.

W. E. GRAHAM,
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The above sale has been postponed until Saturday, January 18, 1913, at the same hour and place.

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The Berlin Tageblatt prints a dispatch from Rome quoting an unarmed diplomatic representative of a great power in the Orient, who, in referring to the alleged outrages perpetrated upon the defenseless Turks of the Balkan States, says: "The number of those massacred is estimated at 240,000, and I consider that this number is not too high."

Aviators Ingedes and Macdonald were drowned in the Thames river near Gravesend, England, yesterday. The aeroplane pinned them beneath it when it fell into the water and they died before help could reach them. As the aeroplane struck the water the motor exploded and the two aviators were too stunned to make any effort to save themselves.

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DID IT ON IMPULSE

By GEORGE H. ROSE.

Garble always has been a creature of impulse. To this he attributes most of his successes and all of his troubles. Whether the troubles overbalanced the successes or not is a delicate subject.

One of his wild impulses swept over Garble's soul as he turned to gaze into the face of an excited bellboy. The bellboy had dashed madly through the hotel lobby and around the cashier's glass cage and then had grabbed Garble by the elbow as he stood counting out bills.

"Well, what's the matter?" asked Garble, as the boy stuttered with excitement.

Garble and Rockton had been stopping for a few days at a Chicago hotel. Now they were preparing to depart. They had dropped their bags over on the other side of the lobby as they came downstairs.

So the bellboy stuttered as he grabbed Garble's arm. "Say," he gasped, "them your bags over on the other side-a the lobby? By the door?"

"They are," replied Garble. "Why?"

"Well," said the bellboy, "there's a man trying to steal 'em! You'd better come quick!"

It was then that Garble was obsessed by his sudden idea. He shut his mouth, which he had opened to explain the matter, and stuffed his change into his pocket with an exaggerated display of haste.

"Where is he?" he growled, as he ran after the fleeing bellboy.

Across the lobby he descried Rockton walking away with the two suitcases, headed for the checkroom, where they were to have been left during the day.

Spurred on by authority, the boy seized Rockton.

"Here!" he cried. "Whachu doin' with them bags?"

Rockton turned a mildly surprised face upon his captor and then glanced smilingly at Garble in the rear. He wondered why Garble looked so sour. "Why," he said easily, "one of 'em's mine, and the other is his," indicating Garble.

The boy turned upon Garble a look which spelled complete understanding.

"How about that for nerve?" he asked.

"He's an old hand at it," said Garble, stepping up and frowning upon Rockton. "Drop 'em! And we'll have to see about you!"

Garble pointed to his name card in the tag on his suitcase. "Clever of him," he commented to the bellboy.

"What do you mean to—" began Rockton, indignantly.

Garble transfixed him with a stony stare. "I mean to hand you over to the police for grabbing my grips; that's what I mean," he said distinctly. Then he coughed. He had to, because Rockton's face was so funny. "Call

Amazement, rage and the knowledge produced Rockton to a state of incoherency, which was easily taken for a sign of guilt. Moreover, the house detective was feeling unusually suspicious that day. And Garble was impressive.

"You come with me," the detective told Rockton.

As Garble, with unholy glee, gazed upon his miserable friend, he thought of an added touch. They had been due to take luncheon with Miss Nedden and her mother at one o'clock and, if the truth must be told, there was quite a contest on between Rockton and Garble as to who should win the favor of pretty Alice Nedden.

"This man's liking for my grips has delayed me," he murmured. "I have an engagement at one o'clock and I don't believe I can make it unless I call a taxi—"

"Don't call one," suggested the house detective. "You'll have to come along to the station to prefer charges!"

It was then that Rockton, catching a glimpse of the consternation on Garble's face, braced up. He even grinned. They sat glaring at each other all the way to the station and then Rockton had his innings.

"Look here," he said to the questioning officer at the desk. "He says he can describe all the articles in both grips! Well, so can I! Why isn't my word as good as his? I tell you, if you'll investigate this you'll find he's the guilty man! He's trying to steal my property by having me locked up."

"It's all a joke," protested Garble, watching the clock hands.

"I think I'll look into this," said the desk sergeant, ponderously.

Which he proceeded to do, with all the frills of red tape known to a conscientious city policeman.

With the combined and disgusted aid of the hotel clerk and two business friends, after they had related the history of their lives from birth and had been threatened with a fine for "getting gay," Garble and Rockton, at 5:30 o'clock that afternoon, finally were released.

Garble was a chastened man. He had been through much since noon. He had not even dared to telephone an explanation to Alice, since it would never do to mix her up in a police case. Besides, how could he explain to her that he was unable to appear at luncheon because he was detained by the police?

They caught their train for the east with only a second to spare. When his rancor had somewhat cooled Rockton approached Garble, who was writing voluminously.

"What are you doing?" he growled.

Garble looked up coldly. "I am writing a telegram," he said distinctly, "to Miss Alice Nedden. And it's hard work!"

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Many women prefer a cardcase of leather to one of silver or gold. The latter invariably soils the white gloves, while one made of leather, especially of a light tint, prevents this catastrophe.

Artistic cardcases are rather expensive, but any woman who is at all clever can successfully make them herself.

The leather can be purchased at any arts and crafts shop where supplies are sold.

Take the design given here and place a sheet of carbon paper be-

tween it and the leather. Carefully trace each outline with a sharply pointed pencil. The design will be perfectly duplicated on the leather, ready for coloring.

The design shows a conventional arrangement of two flowers. Sage green suede could be effectively used for this cardcase, with the design done in gold. If preferred, the petals can be cut out with a sharp knife and insets of petal-shaped enamel used. These are sold at the arts and crafts shop. For lining the case use a bright green silk or a vivid flower design. Sometimes the flowers are cut out with a sharp knife and the silk lining provides the color. In this case a plain silk must be used. Shade is immaterial.

You can utilize this motif effectively when decorating covers for books, blotters or tables. It will also prove an excellent design for stenciling.

DESIGNS IN NECK RIBBONS

Singularly Pretty Are Many of the Styles That Are in Favor for This Season.

The latest development of the sautoir is the grosgrain or moire ribbon with plain or picot edge and a large single ornament on the left side, says Vogue. One of the prettiest of these has a circular motif of exquisite delicacy. The center is a square of finest filet lace mesh wrought in platinum and diamonds, placed diagonally on the ribbon and held at the two opposite corners by two diamonds. These are again attached to a jeweled section that covers the ends of the ribbon. If a simpler chain for the lorgnon is desired there is the solitary pearl without any metal and strung as a slide or a silk cord. Both men and women are adopting this inconspicuous but handsome device.

Perhaps one of the most pleasing novelties of the moment is a velvet neckband with slides of seed pearls. These come with two or three slides or with a simple festoon. They are both radical departures from the old-fashioned themes, such as the rosette and the bowknot.

Dark Versus Light Furs.

It seems odd that so few should realize that dark furs are much more becoming than light, that is, to the average woman. Sable, mink, black fox, make her complexion look at its very best, whereas ermine, white fox, miniver and squirrel have exactly the contrary effect.

The newest way of wearing the stole is to put the middle of it on in front, pass the ends over the shoulders, crosing them at the back and bringing them forward under the arms. Even fur caps with their rounded or pointed backs are worn in this fasion, certainly very warm and comfortable, though slightly unorthodox.

Muffs and Stoles.

There appears to be no limit to the size of muffs and stoles this season, but the wise woman will see that the lining of her gimmay muff is ruched up so as to leave but a small aperture for the hands; otherwise she will derive but little advantage from the fur as far as warmth is concerned. The long, wide stoles are without doubt both useful and becoming articles, and can be worn in many ways which insure the maximum amount of graceful appearance.

HELPING HER PICK OUT HAT

Only the Gay and Graceless Bachelor Can See Anything Comic About the Proceedings.

"Dearie, I want you to go with me one day this week and help me select a hat."

This is not a request. It is a command that no married man dares disobey. Hubby is right now bracing himself for the shock that comes at least twice in every year. A few of the poor, unfortunate husbands have already received their orders, and the rest are looking for the worst any day now.

This thing of helping your wife buy a hat is tragedy. While it may seem funny to a bachelor, this expedition into the jungles of ostrich feathers and mountains of bandboxes is not a married man's idea of a good time.

He submits to the awful torture twice a year, just before Easter and again in September. No, he doesn't like it; he does it to keep peace in the family. It helps to keep the police away from the door. He would welcome the electric chair, a whole day's session with the dentist or a double dose of grand opera if he had his choice. Not that his wife cares a rap about his opinion. No matter what hat she picks out, she knows beforehand she is not going to like it, and she takes him along to shoulder the blame.

In the spring, when the young man's fancy is turning lightly to thoughts of love, the married man's frenzy—he hasn't any fancy—is turning seriously to thoughts of the Easter millinery hunt. It takes him six months to get over the experience, and just as he has reached the point where he can look at a bandbox without weeping he has to endure the suffering all over again.

HAD NO MERCY FOR AVIATOR

Country Hardware Man's Advancing Scale of Prices Seemed to Show a Slight Prejudice.

Jules Vedrines, the world's champion aviator, complained in Chicago of America's indifference to aviation.

"The expense, perhaps, has something to do with it," he said. "Flying in America does, indeed, come high.

"I know a young Philadelphian who recently mastered the monoplane. With his mechanician he was flying to Atlantic City when something went wrong near Tuckahoe, and they came down in a mosquito-infested field.

"The mechanician went to a hardware shop to buy a bolt.

"'A bolt like that?' said the hardware man, examining the mechanician's broken sample. 'Well, I guess I can give you a bolt like that for a quarter.' Then, suddenly, he frowned. 'Hold on, though. You're an automobilist, ain't you? In that case' shop gave a loud laugh and said:

"'He ain't no automobilist. He's a flyin'-machine man.'

"'In that case, stranger,' said the dealer quickly, 'the bolt will cost you $8, net and net.'"

Consequences.

Did you ever play a little old game called "Consequences?" I used to play it in school on the sly, and so did other little boys and girls, and boys and girls that weren't so little either. All about how Mr. So-and-So met Miss So-and-So at Mrs. So-and-So's. And how he said and she said and the world said, and the consequences were that ——, well, God knows what they were, the consequences. Happening to pick up a book of games at the library one afternoon, I turned by accident to "Consequences." A thousand memories came flocking in upon me. And a thought born not of memory but of experience. While life, like the game, is largely a matter of a man and woman meeting, meeting casually at Mrs. So-and-So's, with a long train of consequences, in real life not like the game, what the world says comes at last to be omitted from our calculation. Not through indifference to it—the love and approval of those about us is the very breath of life—but because we have to stand alone before we can stand together. The strong ones of the earth are ever those who do and say the thing they must and leave the rest with God.—New York Press.

Egg Membrane for Skin.

For a long time doctors have been looking for a good substitute for human skin for grafting. The possibility has lately been demonstrated by taking the membrane that lines the shell of newly laid eggs, plastering it over the burn, and making it grow as human skin. The discoverer of this process was treating a child which had previously been burned, and in breaking a raw egg which he desired the child to swallow dropped part of the membrane by accident upon the burn and bandaged the wound. Later on it was discovered that the accidental placing of the egg membrane over the burn had caused cells to augment in number and gradually to extend over the wound until, at the end of some weeks, the surface was completely covered with the new skin. The treatment was called to the attention of physicians and it is now being used to cure scalds.—Harper's Weekly.

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8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:07—A.M.—Daily U.S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining Car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

11:17 A. M.—Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping cars from Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:57 P. M.—Week days—Limited for Warrenton, Charlottesville and Harrisonburg.

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Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon,

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Sundays—7.00 8:30, 9:30, 10.30, 11.30, a. m., 1230, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30 6:30, 7:30, 8:46 and 10:16 p. m.

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WASHINGTON LETTER

Washington, Jan. 22.—Representative Carlin is in Trenton, having a conference with President-elect Woodrow Wilson. Mr. Carlin left Washington this morning on the 11 o'clock train for the New Jersey capital. He was accompanied by some of his colleagues on the Judiciary Committee of the House. It could not be ascertained just what Mr. Carlin and Governor Wilson will talk about today. It is understood at the Capitol, however, that the President-elect wishes to talk with some members of the Judiciary Committee in regard to the possible appointment of Representative Clayton, of Alabama, as attorney general. Representative Clayton is chairman of the House Judcary Committee, of which Representative Carlin is one of the ranking members. Mr. Carlin went to Trenton at the request of the President-elect.

Senator Swanson yesterday introduced into the Senate a bill to pay to Edward W. Bailey, of Portsmouth, Virginia, the sum of $15,000 for injuries resulting from the total loss of one eye and the serious impairment of the other. The accident suffered by Mr. Bailey occurred several years ago. He was wounded by a bursting shell fired by a party of United States sailors and marines while engaged in target practice near Norfolk.

The Agricultural appropriation bill as reported to the House yesterday, fails to contain an item to reimburse the dairymen of Virginia whose cows were killed after not being able to pass the tuberculin test as given by the government. Representative Carlin, however, has just begun his fight. He is going to make an effort to have the bill amended on the floor of the House so that the dairymen of his district whose cows have to be killed shall be paid for such loss.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon is peeved because folks insist on taking his speeches these days as "swan songs," in view of his retirement on March 4th. To an innocent reporter who wanted to know whether the ex-speaker would make a "farewell address," at the non-partisan banquet which his colleagues will tender the old veteran in February, Uncle Joe remarked substantially as follows: "Swan song? Me sing one? Never-r-r-r—at least until I'm in ..." In his hasty retreat the re-

CURRENCY SITUATION.

Representative Glass, of Virginia Ridicules Aldrich-Vreeland Act.

Representative Carter Glass, of Virginia, chairman of the sub-committe of the House committee on banking and currency, in an addres last night at the convention of the National Chamber of Commerce, at the Willar Hotel, Washington, delivered a striking address on the currency situation as it exists in this country.

Representative Glass called particular attention to the statement made recently before his committee by a banker of the West, that not even during the panic of 1907 did he experience greater difficulty in meeting the demands upon him than during the last autumn, when he was obliged to let his reserves run down to accommodate his customers.

"I would not commit myself to an definite prediction as to a recurrence of the trouble in 1907" said Mr. Glass "but I do say that it would be the height of folly for us to defer action until it is forced upon us by the imminence of panic."

Mr. Glass ridiculed the idea that the Aldrich-Vreeland currency act, which expires June 30, 1914, is a preventive of panics. He declared that although "we have just passed through a situation almost as critical as that of 1907, not a single national bank in the country was willing to hoist the signal of distress that would be involved in making application for the sort of currency which the Aldrich-Vreeland act authorizes."

The speaker insisted that currency reform is urgent, and the time ripe for action. "Postponement can result only in embarrassment," said he, "perhaps in actual disaster." He pointed out that upon the business and commercial men of the country rests a large part of the responsibility for action or inactivity. The fact that currency reform has not yet been accomplished, the speaker ascribed to the indifference of the business public and he gave warning that unless the act promptly the remedial legislation "so badly needed will long be deferred."

Blaming certain interests, which he says are profiting by the opposition that has prevented action by Congress Mr. Glass suggested the folowing re

of commercial paper in a way and to an extent that will enable banks to get fluid resources whenever their customers may require; the issue of a safe and elastic paper currency, gradually displacing the bond-secured bank note; regulation of government deposit of current funds with the banks of the country, and lastly more stringent inspection of banks."

The speaker thought the central bank plans of Europe were not adapted to the banking or commercial habits of the people of the United States and he was disposed to some plan that would unite existing banking institutions of the country in a way that would "gain the advantage of joint strength while preserving the independence and unity of each institution."

TURKEY ABOUT TO YIELD.

Will it is Said, Give up Adrianople—Last Saturday's Naval Battle.

London Jan. 22.—Diplomats here in closest touch with the Balkan situation regarded as merely more or less accurate forecasts the reports from Paris, Vienna, and elsewhere that Turkey had decided to cede Adrianople. It was regarded as probable that Turkey would take that action, but there were no advices here that the national asembly had reached a decision.

From Vienna came word that Austria-Hungary believed peace would soon be accomplished, while from Sofia came a war-like report that all of the Servian military officers on leave had been suddenly recalled to colors.

Advices from Constantinople said that the jingo press of the empire, heretofore blatant for war, had changed front over night and now advocated peace.

Paris, Jan. 22.—It was rumored that the Porte has decided to cede Adrianople to the allies following the advice of the powers' note according to dispatches received here today from Constantinople. It was said that the national assembly urged the step and the ministry acquiesced. There was no verification in diplomatic circles.

Vienna, Jan. 22.—The Neue Freie Presse today publihed an unconfirmed news agency dispatch form Constantinople to the effect that the Turkish ships lost 40 killed and 170 seriously wounded in last Saturday's engagement with the Greeks outside the Dardanelles. Three Turkish battleships were reported badly damaged and had difficulty in regaining the traits. It was not known whether the Greeks suffered casualties. The exchange of shells lasted three hours and at the time it was declared neither side was seriously damaged.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Robert Webb, who is believed to have slain Detective Peter Hart yesterday and made good his escape was still at large today. The last the police knew of him was his flight over the roofs of three houses after shooting Hart.

Hart was shot when he went to a flat to arrest Webb, who is said to be the third of the gang of auto bandits, two of whom have already confessed.

LOST.—Light Brown Collie Puppy. Reward if returned to 1523 King Street. 22-3t.

Discuss "Unwritten Laws."

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 22.—Employes of the New Haven road today discussing with mixed emotions the set of "unwritten laws" just handed around by the officials of the company making definite suggestions as to the home life of the men in the operating department. The alarming number of accidents that have brought the road under Federal investigation are all attributed by the higher officials of the road to negligence of employes.

The latest suggestion is that a man's domestic happiness or unhappiness affects his vigilance while on duty. The "unwritten laws" order the married men to refrain from quarreling with their wives and the bachelors are told to marry and be sure they marry the woman of placid disposition and frugal habits. "A man who has just slammed his home door behind him in anger is in no fit frame of mind to run an engine or operate a signal tower one of the so called rules says.

Will Form Cabinet.

Paris Jan. 22.—Aristide Briand, who consented to act as premier through the last month of President Fallieres term, today announced that he had succeeded in forming a cabinet. M. Monnart was named minister of Foreign Affairs; M. Etienne, Minister of War; M. Baudin, Minister of Marine, and M. Briand will retain his portfolio as Minster of the Interior.

M. Burgeois and Theopile Delcasse were both urged by President Falieres, Briand and President-elect Poincaire to act as foreign minister, but declined on pleas of ill-health.

Fatal Bolw.

A killing occurred in the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta last Wednesday, apparently as the result of a joke. First news of the affair came yesterday after completion of an investigation by a special agent of the Department of Justice.

John Oudendyke, aged 60, sentenced from New Jersey, who was serving a second term for using the mails to defraud, died 40 minutes after he had been struck by Walter Kellar, a young negro prisoner. It appeared from investigation that Oudendyke, who was a mute, threw water on Kellar. The negro asked the white prisoner why he threw the water, and when Oudendyke did not reply Kellar turned him around and pointed to the water. Oudendyke threw up his arm, and the negro is said to have mistaken the action for a hostile move with his left fist.

Oudendyke fell heavily, his head striking on the concrete floor. The autopsy showed that death was caused by cerebral hemmorhage resulting from a blow, but failed to determine whether Oudendyke died from the blow struck by the negro of from the fall.

Kellar is held in solitary confinement pending instructions from the Department of Justice.

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Not a blister is left even on tender skin! Instead it has a delicious comforting effect.

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You don't have to bind on a cloth. MUSTEROLE is so penetrating that it goes right through the pores at once.

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Samuel Bendheim, Lewis Bendheim and Samuel Bendheim and Lewis Bendheim, joint partners, trading under the firm name and style of D. Bendheim & Sons and M. F. Piper. In Chancery

To

Henry K. Field and Jennie W. Hopkins, joint partners trading and doing business under the firm name and style of Henry K. Field & Company Samuel Bendheim, Lewis Bendheim and Samuel Bendheim and Lewis Bendheim, joint partners trading under the firm name and style of D. Bendheim & Sons, M. F. Piper, Thomas W. Robinson, The New York Architectural Terra Cotta Company, Hugo Herfurth, Jr., trading and doing business as Herfurth Brothers, and Rudolph West & Company, Incorporated, and all other persons, having or claiming to have liens upon the property in the Bill and proceedings mentioned, and entitled to participate in the distribution of the fund under the control of the Court in this case.

TAKE NOTICE that I have fixed on the 1st day of February, 1913, at my office No. 128 South Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, between the hours of 10:00 A. M. and 6 P. M. as the time and place when I will proceed to execute the decree entered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 23rd day of December, 1912, in a certain chancery suit depending therein, wherein Henry K. Field et als, are complainants and Samuel Bendheim et als, are defendants by which decree I am required to ascertain and report as follows:

First: The date upon which the building in the bill and proceedings mentioned was completed or the work otherwise terminated thereon and the amount due by Samuel Bendheim and Louis Bendheim individually and as partners trading under the firm name and style of D. Bendheim & Sons to M. F. Piper on account of the construction of the house or building in the bill of complaint and proceedings mentioned on the 12th day of July, 1912.

Second: The names of the several parties who have liens upon the said house, building or structure growing out of its construction, and of the lot, piece or parcel of land necessary for the convenient use and enjoyment of the said premises, together with a description of the same and the amounts of the said several liens.

Third: A scheme for the distribution amongsts those entitled thereto of the amount which he shall so ascertain as being due to the said M. F. Piper. And in the event that said fund shall not be sufficient to pay in full the several parties entitled to liens upon the property hereinbefore referred to then to make a statement showing the percentage of said fund to which each of several lien creditors are entitled.

Fourth: What amount will constitute a reasonable compensation to the complainants' solicitor for instituting and conducting this suit.

Fifth: It is further adjudged, ordered and decreed that the said Special Commissioner give notice of the time and place of taking the accounts directed by this decree by publication once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, which is a convenient newspaper and that such publication shall be equivalent to personal service of such notice upon all parties claiming to have liens upon the property in the bill and proceedings mentioned and entitled to participate in the fund under the control of the court herein.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of January, 1913.

LOUIS N. DUFFEY, Special Com.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of December, 1912.

Florence Buckner Washington, Vs. In Chancery.
Augustus Washington.

Memo:

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant, Florence Buckner Washington, an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant, Augustus Washington, on the ground of desertion and abandonment for more than 3 years; and that complainant have custody and raising of the infants Ida Washington and Lillian Washington; resumption of maiden name; and for such further and general relief as to equity is right.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Augustus Washington, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said denendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
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